

# Herald Tribune Forum Opens Tomorrow Night

The twenty-third New York Herald Tribune Forum will open in the Hunter College Auditorium, 69th St. between Lexington and Park Aves., at 8 p. m. tomorrow with a searching examination into the "Steps Toward Racial Integration."

To round out the forum theme of "Progress of Freedom in the United States," five members of President Eisenhower's Cabinet will report on "New Objectives in Government" at the second and closing session to be held in the ballroom of the Waldorf-Astoria at 8 p. m. Tuesday.

## Will Go Overseas

The nation's overseas information services plan to make widespread use of the first session, which will be devoted to

progress toward integration in the schools since the May 17 opinion of the Supreme Court directing the end of racial segregation in education.

In addition, the Special Events Unit, of the Voice of America will record the entire forum. It will beam the voices of speakers in documentary programs to English-speaking areas and will broadcast a factual report on the forum in thirty-four languages.

The entire proceedings will be broadcast to the metropolitan area by WNYC and WNYC-FM. Special portions of the forum will be broadcast nationally by the American Broadcasting Company, Mutual Broadcasting System and National Broadcasting Company networks.

## Allen Dulles, Adm. Strauss

The opening speech of the closing program will be made by Allen W. Dulles, director of the top-secret Central Intelligence Agency and will be rebroadcast at 11:30 p. m. Tuesday by the NBC network. Following this, the same network will rebroadcast an address on "The Atom's Promise" by Lewis L. Strauss, chairman of the Atomic Energy Commission.

The ABC network will broadcast the panel discussion, beginning at 8:15 p. m. Tuesday, in which five Cabinet members will answer the questions of a group of experts.

Participating in this discussion will be Mrs. Oveta Culp Hobby, Secretary of Health, Education and Welfare; George M. Humphrey, Secretary of the Treasury; James P. Mitchell, Secretary of Labor; Ezra Taft Benson, Secretary of Agriculture, and Herbert Brownell Jr., Attorney General.

## Four Interrogators

They will be interrogated by Beatrice Blackmar Gould, editor of "The Ladies' Home Journal"; Henry R. Luce, editor in chief of "Time," "Life" and "Fortune"; Murray D. Lincoln, president of Farm Bureau Insurance Companies, Columbus, Ohio, and Robert S. Byfield, investment adviser and member of the New York Stock Exchange.

Gov. Dewey who will keynote the whole Forum, will open the session on racial integration. Harry S. Ashmore, executive editor of "The Arkansas Gazette," will then discuss the terms of "Democracy's New Test."

A first-hand report on Washington, D. C., where the schools have recently been integrated, will be offered by Jeanne Rogers, education writer for "The Washington Post and Times-Herald"; Mrs. Henry Bartlett, president of the Federation of Citizens' Association in Washington, and Margaret Just Butcher, member of the Board of Education there.

A panel discussion on the South's resources to meet the integration challenge will include George S. Mitchell, executive director of the Southern Regional Council; Philip G. Hammer, president of Hammer and Company, consulting economists, Atlanta, Ga., and C. A. McKnight, executive director of Southern Education Reporting Service.

## Integration Story

The Interracial Fellowship Chorus, of New York, conducted by Harold Aks, will present a musical interlude. Following this the integration story of Claymont, Del., will be told by H. E. Stahl, superintendent of schools there, and Pauline Dyson, an elementary school teacher in that school system. Herman H. Long will describe the mechanics of community self-survey.

"Segregation in New York City Schools" will be discussed by Dr. Kenneth B. Clark, associate professor of psychology, City College, and Arthur Levitt, president of the Board of Education. Dr. Clark has charged that there is segregation here, and Mr. Levitt has ordered an investigation of his allegations.

Charles S. Johnson, president of Fisk University, and Thurgood Marshall, special counsel, National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, who brought the anti-segregation suit which resulted in the Supreme Court decision will be the concluding speakers.

## N. Y., N. J. Candidates

An additional feature of the second-night session will be a discussion of state campaign issues in New Jersey and New York. Speakers will be Charles R. Howell and Clifford P. Case, respectively the Democratic and Republican candidates for the Senate from New Jersey, and Averell Harriman, Democrat, Liberal, and Sen. Irving M. Ives, Republican, who are contending for the governorship of New York.

After Adm. Strauss speaks on "The Atom's Promise," he will answer questions from Walker L. Cislser, president of the Detroit Edison Company, and Thomas K. Finletter, former Secretary for Air. This discussion will be moderated by Roscoe Drummond, chief of the Washington Bureau of the New York Herald Tribune.

The Collegiate Chorale, conducted by Robert Shaw, will provide a musical interlude at the second session.